IFW

AUG 0 9 2004

PO Box 166851

Irving, Texas 75016

(972) 659-1275 - tel/fax

Intellectual Property Law including Patents, Trademarks, Copyrights and Trade Secrets

August 3, 2004

Arthur I. Navarro, Esq. Registered Patent Attorney art-navarro@verizon.net (469) 261-7941 - cell

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Appl. No.

10/736,355

Filed

12/15/2003

Entitled

TWO PART CARTRIDGES WITH FORCE

BIASING BY PRINTER

Docket No.

2002-0282.02

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in connection with the above are the following:

- 1. Response to Office Action of May 17, 2004;
- 2. Postcard.

Please return the date-stamped postcard to the corresponding address as indicated. In the meantime, if you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please call the undersigned. Otherwise, please accept the enclosed.

Very truly yours,

Arthur I. Navarro

cc: Lexmark International, Inc.

Appl. No. 10/736,355 Amendment dated Aug 3, 2004 Reply to Office Action of May 17, 2004



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.

10/736,355

Confirmation No. 4076

Inventor

Philip Scot Carter

Filed

12/15/2003

TC/A.U.

2852

Examiner

Gleitz, Ryan M

Docket No.

2002-0282.02

August 3, 2004

Commissioner For Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 by the person and on the date indicated below.

8-3-04

Arthur I Navarro

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.